

There continues to be an overreaction to decency issues within the FCC. Because of a couple of network-caused miscues (ie, Janet Jackson, Bono, etc.) the FCC is trying to find anyone in the business they can blame and upon whom they can "take it out". If the proposed idea of monitoring 24/7 goes into effect, we as small market broadcasters who have always worked very hard to promote standards of decency will be forced to add personnel to accomodate that demand. In a day and age, when there is already terrific pressure from expanding expenses, and shrinking revenues, this is but one more way of blindly penalizing those responsible for the blunders of network television.